



CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20505

Executive Registry

84-3006/1

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Phone: (703) 351-7676

2 August 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR:

[Redacted]

STAT

Director of Agency Liaison  
Presidential Correspondence

FROM:

[Redacted]

STAT

Deputy Director, Public Affairs

SUBJECT:

Letter Dated 20 July 1984 from [Redacted]

STAT

1. It has long been CIA policy to neither confirm nor deny allegations or questions that assert that some individual works (or worked) for the Agency. The policy is designed to thwart the possibility of confirmation of a covert identity resulting from a "no comment." For example:

"Does John Brown work for CIA?"

"No."

"Does John Doe work for CIA?"

"No."

"Does [Redacted] work for CIA?"

"No comment!"

STAT

2. We therefore are not in a position to answer this correspondent regarding the alleged CIA affiliation of [Redacted]. For your information only, I will tell you they never worked here and are not known to us. Moreover, a careful reading of the correspondent's letters raises serious questions about her stability, indicating that a non-response may be the most prudent course to take. I leave this to your professional discretion.

STAT

3. I am sorry we are unable to help you with this one.

[Redacted]

STAT



P-304

**EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT****ROUTING SLIP**

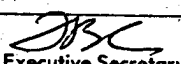
TO:

		ACTION	INFO	DATE	INITIAL
1	DCI				
2	DDCI				
3	EXDIR				
4	D/ICS				
5	DDI				
6	DDA				
7	DDO				
8	DDS&T				
9	Chm/NIC				
10	GC				
11	IG				
12	Compt				
13	D/Pers				
14	D/OLL				
15	D/PAO	✓			
16	SA/IA				
17	AO/DCI				
18	C/IPD/OIS				
19					
20					
21					
22					

SUSPENSE

Date

Remarks

  
 Executive Secretary

7/30/84

Date

3637 (10-81)

**Page Denied**

Next 1 Page(s) In Document Denied